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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

This squashing of competition by the likes of super-corporations like AT&T goes against everything America, the free market system, and even capitalism stands for.

As a consumer, I've never received worse quality service than when working with AT&T, Comcast, and the like. Only by using small, local internet providers have I gotten into responsible, mutually-beneficial contracts, experienced positive customer support, and enjoyed as-advertised internet speeds.

Don't force the American people to give our hard-earned coins to these monopolies. Consumers and business owners need options, and even the giant corporations need competition in order to motivate them to provide quality services.

Broadband competition is so needed. Do the right thing.

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